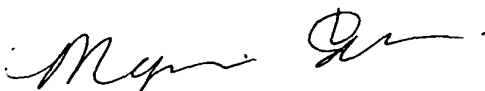


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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED	
PCT/EP00/06286		5 July 2000 (5.7.2000)		12 July 1999 (12.07.1999)	
TITLE OF INVENTION: AQUEOUS COATING SUBSTANCE, METHOD FOR ITS PRODUCTION AND ITS USE					
APPLICATION(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Lutz-Werner GROSS, Ludwig MOORKAMP, Heinz-Ulrich GRUMPE, and Ulrich POTH					
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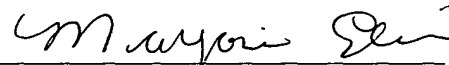
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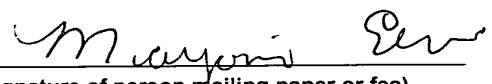
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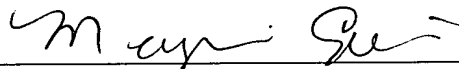
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